

(I) CLAIMS.

I claim:

1. A mastless kayak sail apparatus comprising:

a sail having four sides, a top and bottom, and a given length and width;

a boomstick assembly having a cylindrical shape of a length slightly greater than the width of the bottom of the sail to which the boomstick assembly is attached for the support and control of the bottom of the sail;

a set of two kayak paddles each having one end of a shaft to which the top corners of the sail are attached for the support and control of the top of the sail;

a means for reducing the wind that can escape through the bottom of the sail by attaching the bottom of the sail to the boomstick assembly;

a first attaching means affixed to the bottom of the sail to permit the fast assembly and disassembly of the bottom of the sail to the boomstick assembly; and

a second attaching means affixed to the top of the sail to permit the fast assembly and disassembly of the top of the sail to one end of each of the kayak paddle shafts.

2. A mastless kayak sail apparatus as set forth in claim 1 in which a transparent viewing window is affixed along its outside periphery to the inside periphery of an appropriately-sized opening in said sail, the transparent viewing window being centered with respect to the width of said sail and positioned lengthwise along said sail such that the kayak occupants can see the horizon while sailing the kayak and looking through the transparent viewing window.

3. A mastless kayak sail apparatus as set forth in claim 2 in which the boomstick comprises two assembled cylindrical halves which can be disassembled for easy stowage.